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WO99/52270 appears to show a device capable of connecting to a scanner and a printer via a facsimile interface and also to the Internet. It may be capable of converting facsimile data to and from e-mail messages.

Copies of these cited references are enclosed.

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